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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

TSUNEAKI KURUMIDA

Application No.: 09/909,820

Filed: July 23, 2001

For: METHOD FOR ISSUING
INSTALLATION KEY AND
SYSTEM THEREOF

Examiner: F. Backer

Group Art Unit: 3621

January 31, 2005

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2004 for three months from October 30, 2004 to Monday, January 31, 2005.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$1020.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

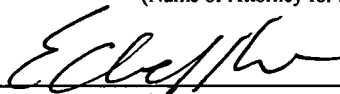
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(Name of Attorney for Applicant)


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January 31, 2005

Date of Signature

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Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,
California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to
our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. Kmett", is written over a horizontal line.

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